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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Scott Mcgrane

Application No.: 10/519,260

Filed: June 19, 2003

For: PALATABLE VEGETARIAN PET FOOD

Confirmation No.: 2949

Art Unit: N/A

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**SECOND RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS AND
RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed September 1, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits a Declaration, a Supplemental Application Data Sheet, a copy of the Notification of the Recording of a Change in the corresponding international application PCT/AU2003/000762, a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) of two months, a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements, and a copy of the Notification of Defective Response.

According to the Notification of Defective Response mailed September 1, 2005, Applicant's Response to Notification of Missing Requirements filed June 29, 2005 was incomplete due to an inconsistency in the inventor's name. On the international application PCT/AU2003/000762, the inventor's name was originally listed as Shane McGrane, but was then changed (please see enclosed Form PCT/IB/306) to Scott McGrane. The enclosed Declaration and Supplemental Application Data Sheet list the inventor's correct name, Scott McGrane. Applicants therefore request that the requirements set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements be considered met. Applicant also requests that the publication of the

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present U.S. application, projected to publish November 24, 2005 per the Notice of New or Revised Projected Publication Date, reflect the inventor's correct name, Scott McGrane.

Our check in the amount of \$450.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) and 1.16(f) is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. HO-P03082US0.

Dated: October 11, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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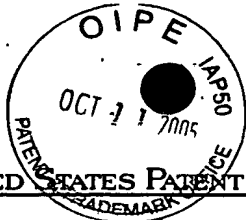
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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/21/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/21/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 12/21/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/21/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/29/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/29/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/21/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/21/2004

Applicant's response filed 06/29/2005 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 06/10/2005 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - The Declaration submitted on June 21, 2005 the inventor signed and it was indicated that the inventor's name is Scott McGrane. The International application and the Application Data Sheet indicates that the inventor is Shane McGrane.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR

1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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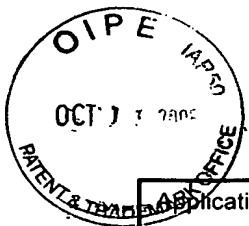
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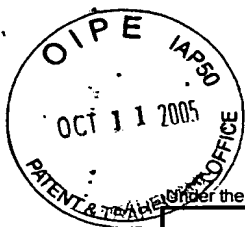
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Fee Transmittal (1 page)
Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application (3 pages)
Part 2 Copy of Notice
Copy of Notification of Defective Response
Two Month Request for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (1 page)
2nd Response to Notification of Missing Requirements (2 pages)
Copy of Notification of the Recording of a Change in international application
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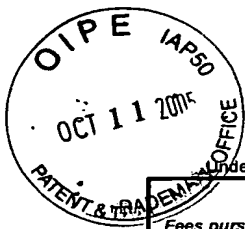
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TRANSMITTAL FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)		Application Number	10/519,260-Conf. #2949
		Filing Date	June 19, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Scott Mcgrane
		Art Unit	N/A
		Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
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ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
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<div>Remarks</div>		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT			
Firm Name	FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P.		
Signature			
Printed name	Melissa W. Acosta, Ph.D.		
Date	October 11, 2005	Reg. No.	45,872



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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005 <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Complete if Known		
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		Filing Date	June 19, 2003	
		First Named Inventor	Scott Mcgrane	
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____
☐ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 06-2375 Deposit Account Name: Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P.

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

<u>Total Sheets</u>	<u>Extra Sheets</u>	<u>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1252 Extension for response within second month	450.00
	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>

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